

STRIKING EXHIBITS AND BOOTHS ARE LESSONS IN CHILD WELFARE

(Continued from page one)

ment have been converted into rest rooms, dressing room, measurement and examination rooms. Each baby goes through the following routine: Dental examination before undressing; mental examination; eye, ear, nose, and throat; and then is disrobed to have its measurements taken and the general physical examination made. Each baby perhaps will require only about 20 minutes.

Eight Principal Booths.
Upstairs the entire gymnasium has been turned into an exhibition room. There are eight principal booths, as follows: Play, Dairy, Eye and Ear, Dental, Anti-Tuberculosis, Feeding and Cleaning, Clothing, and Home-Made Furniture.

The play booth contains many drawings, picture mats, toys and toy store made by children of the Free Kindergarten classes in drawing, cutting, pasting and constructive work.

In the dairy section displays are made to show improper, unclean dairy and milk conditions, and in direct, forcible contrast, what has been done in improving dairy conditions and insuring pure milk supply, at all times a most important if not the chief problem of the whole baby welfare program. The largest number of graphic charts are to be seen in the Eye and Ear booth. These illustrate many of the diseases of these two important sense organs. The lettering and illustrating of these pleasing and instructive charts was done by the pupils of the Normal School under the direction of Mrs. Marshall.

The Maternity Home has a chart in which it states that of 138 babies born there during one year, every one was treated at birth with a solution of argyrol or nitrate of silver for the eyes, and not one of the babies so treated suffered with any soreness of the eyes.

The Children's Hospital chart announces that its service to babies is free, and that no child is ever refused admittance.

There are two attractive little sick beds, natural size, with large dolls for occupants, showing all the proper fixings, and loaned to the committee by the Misses Muriel, Margery and Ethel Wakefield of Pacific Heights. A pretty baby screen loaned by the Japanese Bazaar is shown in this booth.

Dental booth.
In the dental booth is a large picture of a school class receiving instruction in the proper method of using a tooth brush. Also there are a number of charts reminding everyone of the importance of caring for the baby's teeth. Parents are advised to clean the mouth of the baby with boiled water or a boric acid solution every day; to begin to use a soft toothbrush at the age of two years; and that if first teeth are properly cared for the second teeth will be good teeth.

Pictures are the strongest in the anti-tuberculosis exhibit, which seeks to portray the common conditions under which tuberculosis is permitted to thrive, contrasted with pictures of similar surroundings intelligently improved so as to prevent tuberculosis, which is now known as a "preventable" disease.

A miniature sleeping room over a grocery store and near a stable is a convincing demonstration, as is one or two reproductions of dark, dirty tenement bedrooms.

A model quarters suitable for a consumptive is also shown in miniature to teach its lesson as graphically as possible.

The Feeding and Cleaning Booth contains among other things a cabinet with two large sections, one displaying things that are "bad for the baby," and the other, "good for baby." The articles included are such as bottles, nipples, etc. The appliances are loaned by Diamond & Co.

There is a chart in this booth which points the hour of the clock to 6 a. m., 9 a. m., noon, 3 to 3:30 p. m., and 6 p. m. as the times to feed the baby. "Feed regularly" is a frequent admonition around baby headquarters, and mothers and nurses are strongly urged to stick to the hours scheduled.

There is a miniature kitchen to demonstrate the proper preparation of food and six girls from Kawaiahao seminary will be on duty Tuesday at 4 o'clock to go through a sort of baby's "first aid" with their dolls as subjects, showing the motions for the proper cleaning of the baby, dressing it and attending to its eyes, ears, nose and throat, and other ailments of a minor nature.

Home-Made Furniture.
One of the most striking exhibits is that showing box furniture made from small packing cases or boxes easily obtainable from any grocer's. This booth is in entire charge of Mrs. Malcolm MacIntyre. Most of the samples of this simple home-made furniture she made with her own hands, showing how easy it is to do. In the making of the child's bed from such material, Mrs. MacIntyre was assisted by Clifton Tracy.

There is, besides the bed, a child's wash stand, cupboard, clothes box, table with baby and toy furniture, fireless cooker, ice box. On the walls can be seen simple drawings, designs, dimensions and directions for the manufacture of these and other pieces out of this crude material. Mrs. MacIntyre states that in many homes of the poor, unless some such means as this is used, the babies go without adequate furniture necessary for its individual welfare.

There is an amusing series of "Scenes in the life of the new-born child taken from life" in the clothing exhibit in which a complete assortment of baby clothing is shown of all qualities and kinds. Whitney & Marsh furnished a good deal of the clothing, and a model layette made by ladies of Central Union church, distributed by the Associated Charities, is also shown, together with a model cradle with mosquito net.

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PROGRAM FOR TODAY, TOMORROW, BABY WEEK

TODAY.
1:20 p. m.—Cars leave Emma street for Palama Settlement.
4:30 p. m.—Cars leave Palama Settlement for Emma street.

1 to 5 p. m.—Examination of Babies.
1 to 5:30 p. m.—Exhibits.
2 to 2:30 p. m.—Demonstration: "Infant Feeding," by Mrs. V. Genova.

2:30 to 3:30 p. m.—Lecture and conference, conducted by Dr. Li, in Chinese.
3 to 3:30 p. m.—Translations of lectures in Settlement House.

4 to 4:30 p. m.—Demonstration: "Bathing the Baby," by Miss Sillito of the Maternity Home.

4 p. m.—"Prenatal Care," lecture by Dr. A. G. Hodgins.
7 to 9 p. m.—Exhibits.

7:15 to 7:30 p. m.—Music in charge of Mr. French of Punahou School.
7:30 to 8:15—Lecture in English, and slides under the direction of the Anti-Tuberculosis Bureau.

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1-5:30 p. m.—Exhibits.
2:30 p. m.—Demonstration, "Feeding of Older Children," by Miss Janet Dewar of Kaukaeoani Children's Hospital.

2:30 p. m.—Lecture, "Care of Child at Birth and After," by Miss Jesse Rae of Pacific Sanitarium.
3:30 p. m.—Translation of lectures in Settlement House.

4:40 p. m.—Demonstration, "First Aid to the Baby," by Miss Janet Dewar.
4 p. m.—Lecture, "Care of Child at Birth and After," by Dr. Mori.

7-9 p. m.—Exhibits.
7:15-7:30 p. m.—Music by Arthur Hudson of Mills school.
7:30-8:15 p. m.—Lectures in Japanese and slides under direction of Anti-Tuberculosis Bureau.

epigrams that cover the walls of the exhibits room:
"Clean Up, Screen Up—Give the Baby a Chance."
"Dirt Means Danger."
"Boil Baby's Bottle."
"Much Candy, Poor Teeth."
"Smile at Your Baby."
"Cover the Garbage Can."
"Flies Kill Babies."
"Don't Use Pacifiers."
"Clean the House for Baby."
"Keep the Baby Comfortable."
"Nothing Sold by the Bottle Has Ever Cured Tuberculosis."
"Keep Baby's Food Covered."

VESSELS TO AND FROM THE ISLANDS
(Special Wireless to Merchants' Exchange.)

Monday, April 24.
HILO—Sailed, Apr. 23, 7 a. m.: S. S. Mexican for San Francisco.
SAN FRANCISCO—Arrived, Apr. 24: S. S. Belridge from Pearl Harbor, Apr. 14.

PORT SAN LUIS—Arrived, Apr. 24: S. S. Santa Maria hence Apr. 14.
SAN FRANCISCO—Sailed, Apr. 24: S. S. Atlas, for Honolulu.

Radio Messages.
S. S. Hyades arrives from Seattle, Wednesday evening. Cargoes: Hilo, 3779 tons; Port Allen, 255 tons; Kahului, 708 tons; Kapaemahu, 70 tons; Hilo, 401 tons.

JAPANESE RED CROSS SOCIETY HAS MEETING
Members of the Red Cross Society of Japan to the number of nearly 1000 gathered yesterday afternoon at the Japanese consulate on Nuuanu street for their annual meeting. The Japanese Red Cross has members in all of the islands, and a number were present at the meeting yesterday.

Dr. I. Mori presided, and in a few words told those present of the real object of the organization. He was followed by Consul General Mori, who was elected chairman of the local Red Cross branch. Consul Arita, who will leave Honolulu soon for Japan, read a congratulatory message from Viscount Y. Hanabusa, director of the Red Cross Society of Japan.

The message from Japan told of the work that had been done in the past by the Japanese, and stated that at the present time many of the Japanese are helping on the battle fields of Europe. He urged the people to work for the betterment of all the races, and stated that Japan was taking a place in the front rank of nations by the work accomplished among the wounded.

Dr. J. Uchida, who represented the island districts, talked, after which distribution of caps and badges took place.

ARMY AND NAVY NOTES
Six-inch howitzers from Batteries A and B will be fired tomorrow and Thursday morning at Schofield Barracks.

Members of the Signal Corps Social Club, Fort Shafter, have planned a dance for Wednesday evening at the post hall. Music will be furnished by the 2nd Infantry Band under the direction of Bandmaster A. Jacobson.

Capt. Charles R. Forbes' company of engineers has postponed the drill which was to have taken place tonight to Wednesday evening. Billiard matches in the armory between the visiting champions were the reason for the postponement.

RUSSIANS NEED BABY WEEK ALSO, HE POINTS OUT

One of the most enthusiastic instructors of Baby Week among Honolulu's public-spirited businessmen is George W. Smith of Benson, Smith & Co., and president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Smith says that a number of weeks ago he was making an inspection of the Russian colony here in company with Bishop Restarick and a Russian priest, and was astonished to find that there are more than 400 children under 10 years of age in that colony, the largest part of whom are six or under.

"Baby Week ought to take notice of them," said Mr. Smith, "for it has been proved time and time again for years on the mainland that the second generation of Russians make good citizens; and here are these 400 growing up to be citizens of Honolulu. Undoubtedly most of them will stay here and grow to manhood and womanhood, and in the natural course of events many others of that nationality will come to join them. While we're doing so much for the Oriental races, let's not overlook these Russians who are pliable. Here's work, too, for the citizenship educational committee."

MERCHANTS ARE COOPERATING IN SPECIAL DISPLAY

That Honolulu babies are well provided for by Honolulu merchants is evidenced in many of the display windows around town today. Lowers & Cooke stand ready to contribute their share in making the baby's "environment" as wholesome as can be. Their window shows a number of nursery papers that cause every passerby to stop and smile as he tries to recall the days of his own childhood. Two storks in the window one proudly bending over a 10½ pound baby being weighed on the scales and the second standing back with a second baby in his beak waiting to be weighed next.

Coyne's is showing a line of children's furniture; the Hawaiian News has a quantity of child books in its window; Perkins' photo shop has a window full of frolicky, smiling babies—Honolulu's finest—Benson, Smith & Co., has a huge kewpie superintending a display of talcum powder, nipples, bottles, etc., for baby; Whitney & Marsh show a complete line of baby's under and outer garments; May & Co. have a baby carriage with a doll in it, and a large framed photo of a Honolulu boy, advertising malted milk; McInerney's has a large assortment of baby shoes, and practically all of W. W. Diamond's Co.'s windows are devoted to baby, showing china ware, silver, cooking utensils, baths, milk refrigerators and other appliances for baby only.

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**TEACH VOCATIONS TO
PALAMA YOUNGSTERS**
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Funds are already on hand for a two months' session and it is thought enough money can be secured for an additional month. The supervisors will be asked for Kalanui school as headquarters for the work.

**News From the Home
of the Coffee Bean**

Mr. Frank G. Carpenter, noted correspondent, writing from Santos, Brazil, said to be the chief coffee port of the world, in an article in the Los Angeles Times of Oct. 30th, 1915, says:

"The people here believe in coffee. They talk nothing else and as they talk they drink. They drink so much of this beverage that they grow sallow, and the muscles of their faces twitch continuously. When one of them sits in a chair, resting his toes on the floor, his knees bob up and down with nervousness, and the whole system seems afflicted with St. Vitus' Dance."

Very interesting!
And what, pray, is there in coffee that makes people sallow and nervous? The drug, caffeine—about 2½ grains to the average cup—a powerful irritant of the nerves and delicate tissues of the body.

Of course not everybody is affected so severely. But caffeine is a cumulative poison, and sooner or later it gets in its work with many users—slowly with some, Is it wise to tamper with such a men?

Is it wiser to tamper with such a menace to health? By far the better way is to leave coffee alone, and for a pleasant, delicious table beverage use

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CONTROVERSY OF HILO COMPANIES ENDED AT LAST

Utilities Commission Fixes the Rate Light Company May Charge Traction

Difficulties between the Hilo Electric Light Company and the Hilo Traction Company are over; the traction company will not erect its own power plant but will buy current from the electric company; the electric company will begin the construction of a \$100,000 plant as soon as the traction company's franchise is passed by Congress; all proposed amendments to the franchise will be withdrawn.

This is all decided by the action of the public utilities commission this morning, when a rate of \$.0126 a kilowatt hour was set as the charge for current to be furnished to the traction company.

The two companies, who have been bickering over the rate for some time, agreed to leave it to the commission at a hearing in Hilo 10 days ago. The electric company demanded one and a half cents. The traction company offered one and a quarter. This deadlock existed for weeks and blocked all efforts of the traction company to get operations started.

A wireless message informing the electric light company officials in Hilo of the rate set was sent by Charles R. Forbes, chairman of the commission, this afternoon.

The following letter was mailed to the company:

"The public utilities commission has gone thoroughly into the operation of the Hilo Electric Light Company, Ltd., and through the accounts, taken into consideration the physical valuation of the company's property together with all figures pertaining thereto, and feel that to be enabled to guarantee efficient service by the Hilo Electric Light Company, Limited, to the Hilo Traction Company, Limited, a reasonable profit must be allowed to the former. The commission hereby sets the rate to be charged by the Hilo Electric Light Company, Limited, to the Hilo Traction Company, Limited, for current to be furnished to the latter at the rate of 1.26 cents per K. W. hour."

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

The members of the federal grand jury have been notified to be in court at 10 o'clock next Monday morning.

A meeting of the members of St. Andrew's guild auxiliary will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the residence of Mrs. A. A. Young, Victoria and King streets.

The direct examination of Kim Hong, plaintiff in a \$21,500 damage suit against the Inter-Island steamer Claudine, was taken in federal court Saturday.

Building permits, all under \$4000 but one, totaling \$31,269 in estimated value of the buildings to be erected, were issued last week. The \$4000 permit was for alterations to the Schumann Carriage Company's garage.

Waking to find a prowler in his room at midnight last Friday, Dr. E. P. Varvel, acting dental surgeon at Schofield Barracks, fired three shots at the intruder. The man escaped, however, running up a gulch near the house.

Transcript of the evidence at the Hilo hearing of the public utilities commission on the Hilo Traction Company's amendments to its franchise did not arrive on the Mauna Kea Saturday morning as expected and consequently there was no meeting of the commission that afternoon.

The president and members of the board of directors of the Hawaiian Board of Missions have consented to illuminate the new Mission Memorial building on King street tomorrow evening for the lecture to be given by Prof. Vaughan MacCauley under the auspices of the Outdoor Circle. The lecture will deal with the beautification of American cities. On the same evening the building will be open for inspection by the public.

**NO LOCAL BIDS
FOR REFUNDING
BONDS RECEIVED**

Bids for the purchase of \$1,750,000 in refunding bonds of the territory will be opened at the office of the territorial treasurer at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and in New York by Charles J. McCarthy, the treasurer. No bids have been received at the treasurer's office up to noon today.

Word will be received by cable from the treasurer, who is in New York, regarding the bids he has received as soon as he has heard from his deputy here, H. C. Hapai.

The bonds are in denominations of \$500 and \$1000 and will be issued May 15. Principal and interest are payable either at the office of the treasurer or at the United States Mortgage and Trust company in New York. The sale is for the whole or part of the bonds.

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